## RESOLUTION NO. 2004-265

## A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO AMEND THE EXISTING LODI HOUSE-AS-A-SYSTEM INSPECTION PROGRAM BY INCREASING THE REBATE AMOUNT FOR AIR DUCT REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, the state has mandated that beginning January 1, 1998, the City of Lodi is obligated to fund various programs through a Public Benefits Charge (PBC) based on an historical electric revenue requirement; and

WHEREAS, the requirement amounts to approximately \$1 million per year that must be dedicated to qualifying programs such as energy efficiency. A further stipulation is that these efforts must be done on the customer's side of the meter in order to qualify; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi's Public Benefits Program is comprised of four segments or customer groups: commercial/industrial, residential, community/non-profit, and municipal; and

WHEREAS, the Lodi House-As-A-System Inspection Program was started in September 2003, providing a computer diagnostics test of the customer's heating and air conditioning duct system; and

WHEREAS, the test, performed by the Electric Utility, measures room-by-room air flow and air return and is the critical first step in addressing whether the home's central heating and cooling system is designed correctly and functioning property; and

WHEREAS, once the computer diagnostics testing is complete, the residential customer is provided with the results along with recommendations for improving the system if problems are identified; and

WHEREAS, the Electric Utility Department, through the City of Lodi Public Benefits Program, then provides rebates to residential customers who repair or entirely replace duct work within their home; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends amending the Lodi House-As-A-System Inspection Program by increasing the rebate amount for air duct replacement from \$600 to \$1,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby approve amending the Lodi House-As-A-System Inspection Program by increasing the rebate amount for air duct replacement from \$600 to \$1,000.

Dated: December 1, 2004

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2004-265 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held December 1, 2004, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Beckman, Hitchcock, Howard, Land, and

Mayor Hansen

NOES:

**COUNCIL MEMBERS - None** 

ABSENT:

**COUNCIL MEMBERS - None** 

ABSTAIN:

**COUNCIL MEMBERS - None** 

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON

City Clerk